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SUBJECT

Grant of facilities for the Concentration of Italian P.O.W. graves by the Italian Embassy in India

WD 01425—GPB—25 000—1. 9 1952

L 9355/ Dated 30 10 53

To,

The under Secretary to the Govt of India,
Ministry of defence
New Delhi

Copy to- The Colonel Base corporation Cairo' the Navy
" Colonel" for LSG

General and Revenue Secretariat

Grant of facilities for the Concentration of Italian P.O.W. Graves — File No 1144 (GD) of 195

Serial No

From

The Govt of India

Letter No F 627/52/S225/D(AG) dated 10-8-53 requesting to be intimated whether the State Govt are agreeable to the grant of certain concessions to the Italian Embassy for the Concentration of Italian P & W graves

1) The number of Italian P O W graves in this State are -

a) Bellary Hosur Road -	105
b) - Handar (Mysore) -	1
Total	106

2) As the Subject matter of the present reference relates to Municipal Branch, this may be sent to that branch for immediate necessary action

BM 13/8

3) For perusal & transmission to the Ml Secretary

DM 13/8

4) [illegible] 13/8

Ml

5) Obt letter to the Corpn, CC B, the Corpn's of Mysore and Bangalore Municipalities and the Corpn for L.S.G for expressing their views on the proposal of the Government

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Contn Sheet

Grant of facilities for the Accreditation of Station Motor Drivers

File No 3244/Genl of 1953-54 / 3523/Genl

General and Revenue Secretariat

Serial No

Draft orders put up for approval or other orders

Sec 20/8/53.

DMV 20/8

To

1) The Controller, C.C.B.

2) " L.S.G. Concern

No. L. 6329-38/Gen. 120 53-2 dt 27 8 53.

Calls for Certain Records.

DMV

Sec B 29/8/53

Sec 5/9/53

From

The Controller for L.S.G.

No. Rule 2844/53 52 dt 31-8-53

Requires the information called for.

1) The Rolls from the Controller, C.C.B. is not received. A draft D.O. Reminder is put up for approval.

Reply has been received, and put up. The file is returned to C.W. DMV 17/9

Sec 16/9/53

DMV 16/9/53

Grant of facilities for the Cremation of Christian persons dying in Prisons

Christian Cemetery No on record — 3 32/64 of 195 [illegible] 3892/Jail 3523

Serial No

Prisoner

The Coroner, Bijapur Corpn. no APPR 176/53 dt 10.9.53 forwarded the Cremation Cases for

(1) the conditions on which the Cremation or the Corporation is agreed to are the following.—

(1) orders of the Coroner or the District Magistrate to be obtained

(2) No tax or fee need be charged

(3) Necessary permission of the Church Should be obtained

(4) Necessary disinfectants Shall be used.

(5) The Remains to be kept and transported in Sealed boxes

(6) The Cremation to be done in the presence of the Asst Health Officer, Court area

(7) The Coroner for L.S.G has Suggested the following Conditions—

(1) The graves to be opened in the presence of the Medical Officer in a manner not detrimental to public Health

(2) The bodies Cremated to be deposited in lead boxes to prevent

Grant of facilities for the acquisition of platform power graver.

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Serial No

of India to put up for approval or other orders

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Sec 20/8

To

1) The Controller, C.C.B.

2) " L.S.G Calcutta

No. L.6329-38/Gen. 120 53-2 dt 27 8 53.

Calls for Certain Records.

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Sec B 29/8/53

Sec 5/9/53

From

The Controller for L.S.G

No. R.S.C 2844/53 53 dt 31-8-53

Requires the information called for.

1) The R.P.G from the Controller, C.C.B is not received. A draft to the Receiver is put up for approval.

Reply has been received, and the put up returned to C.W. DS 7/9

Sec 16/9/53

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General and Revenue Secretariat

Grant of facilities for the Cremation of Christian dead or graves for the Christian Cemetery No in Surya — 3 32 of 1954 [3892/Rel 3523

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Serial No

Proceedings

The Coroner, Bolan Corpn. no A4PR 176/53 dt- of 10.9.53 Forwarding the information called for

1) The conditions on which the Cremation in the Corporation is agreed to are the following.—

✓ (1) orders of the Coroner or the District Magistrate to be obtained

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✓ (2) The bodies exhumed to be deposited in lead boxes to prevent

Grant of facilities for the construction of stone on P.O.W's graves by the Pakistan Embassy

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Contamination

(3) The dead bodies and coffins to be certified by the Medical officer as fit for transport

(4) permits to be issued by the District Magistrates of Bangalore and Chickballapur

5) The suggestions made by both the Commissioner, BCB and the LSG Commissioner may be accepted Instructions may also be issued to the DCs of B'lore and Chickballapur Dts to give the necessary permission The G.O. can be enforced accordingly - for orders

Sd/- 17/9/53) Dft a letter

SW 17/9

Sd/- 24/9

6) Dft Memo to the under Secy, to the G.O.I., Ministry of Defence for submission for approval

Sd/- 28/9/53

SW 28/9

7) Sd/- 30/9

Secy Dft

8) for perusal before issue

Sd/- 14/x

Minister Secy Dft

9) Sd/- 15/10

Sd/- 27/10/53

Sd/- 22/x

CHIEF SECRETARIAT 9475 16 OCT 1953 GOVT

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH & LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT No. 3512

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To

The Secretary to GOI, Ministry of Defence
No 4 9355/COI 120-53-i dt 30 10 53
Agrees to the Scheme of Concentration

Copy to

1) The Chairman, CCB
2) " Chairman JCSC

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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IMMEDIATE.

No. F.627/52/8225/D(AG)
Government of India,
Ministry of Defence,
New Delhi, the 10th August 1953.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay/Madras/Uttar Pradesh/
Madhya Pradesh/East Punjab/Mysore/Rajasthan.

The Chief Commissioner Delhi/Bhopal

Subject :- Grant of facilities for the Concentration of Italian P.O W. Graves by the Italian Embassy in India.

Sir,

I am directed to say that it is proposed by the Italian Embassy in India to exhume all Italian Prisoners-Of-War graves in India and to concentrate them in a Mausoleum to be erected for the purpose in the city of Bombay. This policy of concentration has been agreed to by the Government of India.

2. The implementation of the above policy involves the concentration of some 500 graves which are at present located in about 25 cemeteries all over the country. A complete list by States of these cemeteries is enclosed. The Embassy now propose to disinter all the P O W graves situated in these cemeteries and remove the remains to the Mausoleum in the city of Bombay.

3. The Italian Embassy in India have represented that for the success of the concentration scheme the grant of the following concessions to them are essential

(a) Permission for exhumation of P O.W. graves from the cemeteries shown in the attached list. This permission should also include exemption from all local or other laws and/ or regulations relating (i) to the securing of permits for disinterments, (ii) to sanitation, on the assurance that such work will be conducted in a manner not detrimental to public health, and (iii) the payment of any duties, taxes or fees of any kind for the disinterment, movement or re-burial of these bodies.

(b) Necessary authority to cover the transport of coffins from State to State on their way from the present locations to future re-burial sites, including exemption at all octroi examination at all octroi barriers on route.

4. As stated in para 1 above the Government of India have already approved the proposed concentration and have expressed their willingness to afford the Italian Embassy facilities for the smooth implementation of their programme in this country. The Government of India would, therefore, be grateful if the State Government would kindly agree to the grant of these concessions and also render the Embassy all possible assistance in the execution of their work. It is presumed that if the State Governments agree to the grant of these facilities, they will issue suitable instructions to the local authorities concerned.

5. The Italian Embassy in India wish to commence the work by the end of this month and it is desired that all question of facilities should be settled immediately so that the Embassy may start the work without any impediments, as originally programmed by them. I am, therefore, to request that the matter may be given very urgent attention and a reply may be sent at an early date.

Yours faithfully,

(M.K.Kutty)
Under Secretary to the Government of India.

Copy forwarded to the D.M.I&C for necessary action in respect of cantonment ceneteries.

The Regional Commissioner and Adviser Rajasthan Jaipur

Copy of the above forwarded to

The Ministry of External Affairs with reference to their u.o. No.4300-Eur 1/53 dated the 5th August 1953

List of Italian P.O.W. graves by States.

		No. of Graves.
1	**Bombay**	
	a) Ahmednagar	4
	b) Deolali Inf. Road	2
	c) Deolali Law Road	1
	d) Poona St. Sepulchre	3
	e) Sewri-Bombay.	13
2.	**Uttar Pradesh**	
	a) Agra Cantt	2
	b) Clement Town	66
	c) Dehra Dun	8
	d) Meerut Cantt.	
	e) Roorkee	
	f) Prem Nagar	
3.	**Mysore**	
	a) Bangalore Hosur Road	
	b) Parihar (Mysore)	
4.	**Madhya Pradesh**	
	a) Amla Railway	1
	b) Jubbulpore	1
	c) Kamptee Canteen	1
5.	**East Punjab**	
	a) Dharamshala - Yol	98
	b) Bhowanipore	1
6.	**Madras**	
	a) Poonamallee	2
	b) Trimulgheri No. 12	4
7.	**Rajasthan**	
	a) Jaipur	2
8.	**Delhi**	
	a) Delhi Cantt.	6
	b) New Delhi, York Road	1
9.	**Bhopal**	
	a) Batrasarh	167

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

(~~Continuation sheet draft~~ form)

No. L 6329-30/E-M 120-53-2
E-1 Dated. 8.1.53

To

1) The Corpn. CC-B
(through the Mayor)

2) The Corpn's of Mysore and Dvg City Municipalities
(through the Pmt)

3) The Corpn. LSG

Subject: Grant of facilities for the Consecration of Italian R.C. graves by the Italian Embassy in India.

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of letter No. F 627/52/8225/D(AG) dated 10.8.52 addressed to the Under Secy to the G.O.I Ministry [illegible] on the subject,

and to request you kindly to offer your remarks on the matter of granting the concessions recommended by the G.O.

As this course is proposed to be commenced today at 11 o'clock before which a copy has to be furnished to the Defence Counsel, your remarks may be sent by return of post

(and the matter is of extreme urgency)

Yours faithfully

Sd/-

Dy. Secy.

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Mysore Government
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27-8-53

The Asst
L S G & Planning Departments

To

Sir,

Subject Grant of facilities for the concentration of Italian P O W graves by the Italian Embassy in India

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I am directed to forward herewith a copy of letter No.F 627/52/8225 D(AG) dated 10th August 1953 received from the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Defence on the subject, and to request you kindly to offer your remarks in the matter of granting the concessions recommended by the Government of India

As this work is proposed to be commenced by the end of this month before which a reply has to be furnished to the Defence Ministry and the matter is extremely urgent, your remarks may be sent by the return of post

Yours faithfully,

(V Hanumanthappa)
Asst Secretary to Government,
L S G & Planning Departments

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Letter F 627/52/8225/D(AG) dated 10th August 1953 from the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Defence, New Delhi to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore.

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Subject Grant of facilities for the concentration of Italian P O W Graves by the Italian Embassy in India

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a) Permission for exhumation of P O W graves from the cemeteries shown in the attached list This permission should also include exemption from all local or other laws and or regulations relating (i) to the securing of permits for disinterments, (ii) to sanitation, on the assurance that such work will be conducted in a manner not detrimental to public health, and (iii) the payment of any duties, taxes or fees of any kind for the disinterment, movement or reburial of these bodies

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Asst Secretary to Government,
L S G & Planning Departments

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*List of Italian P.O.W. graves by States

Mysore State.

a)	Bangalore Hosur Road	M/S	105 graves
b)	Harihar (Mysore)		1 "
		Total	106 graves

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OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER FOR LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT IN MYSORE

Bangalore, Dated, August, 29, 1953

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FROM

SRI N S HIRANNAYYA, I A S ,
Commissioner for Local Self Government
in Mysore, BANGALORE

SECRETARIAT
31 AUG 1953
L S G DEPARTMENT

TO

SRI G VENKATAKRISHNA RAO, I A S ,
Secretary to Government, L S G , & Planning
Departments, BANGALORE

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SIR,

Sub Grant of facilities for disintegration of Italian P U W Graves by the Italian Embassy in India

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With reference to your letter No L 6329-30/E M 120-53-2 dated 27th August 1953, on the above subject, I write to state that the exhumation of the Italian Prisoners of War Graves in the places noted in the letter under reference may be permitted on the following conditions -

1 The graves to be opened in the presence of the Medical Officer in a manner not detrimental to public health

2 The Bodies exhumed to be deposited in lead boxes to prevent contamination

3 The lead boxes or coffins to be certified by the Medical Officer as fit for transport.

4 The District Magistrates of Bangalore and Chitaldrug Districts may be permitted to issue necessary permits for disinterment and to cover the transport from the State They may be directed to grant exemption to all octroi examination at all octroi barriers enroute in the State

It is desirable that the exhumation should be done in the presence of responsible Police authorities to prevent opening of wrong graves

Yours faithfully,

COMMISSIONER

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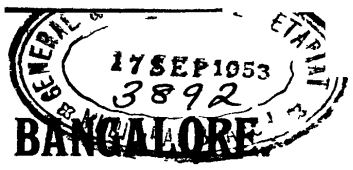


CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BANGALORE

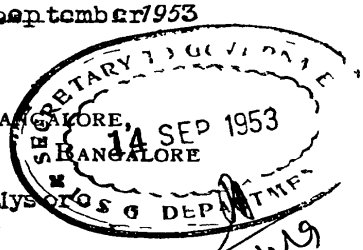
No 4-..R. 176/53-54.

CORPORATION OFFICES,
BANGALORE

Dated 10th September 1953

FROM

THE COMMISSIONER,
CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BANGALORE,



To

The Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
L S G. and Planning Departments,
Bangalore

SIR

C-M 120-53-3

Subject.- Grant of facilities for the concentration of Italian P O.W. graves by the Italian Embassy in India.

With reference to your letter No L 6329-30/J M 120-53-2 dated 27-8-1953 on the subject, I write to state that under Section 341 (c) of the City of Bangalore Municipal Corporation Act, 1949, orders of the Commissioner or Magistrate will have to be obtained to re-open the graves

No fee or tax need be paid for the disinterments of the bodies There is no objection to grant permission for exhumation subject to the following conditions -

1 Necessary permission of the Church has to be obtained
2 Necessary disinfectants should be issued,
3 The remains to be kept and transported in sealed boxes
4. The exhumation to be done in the presence of the Asst Health Officer, (Civil area).

Yours faithfully,

H C Jayaramappa
(H. HENJER.PPA)
COMMISSIONER

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No. L9355/30-x-53/Cen 120-53-H.

To under Secy to the Govt
Ministry of Defence
New Delhi

Subject. Grant of facilities for the Concentration of Italian P.O.W Graves by the Italian Embassy in India

Sir,

I am directed to circle Reference to your Letter no F 627/52/8223/D (AG) dated 10.8.53 on the above Subject and to State that this Govt agree to the grant of the facilities asked for by the Italian embassy

or this Scheme of Cremation
Subject to the following Conditions:-

(i) Orders of the Coroner or the Dy Registrar should be obtained at the time of Cremation

(ii) If necessary the graves shall be opened in the presence of a Health Officer or Medical Officer to be named in a manner not detrimental to public health

(iii) The bodies cremated shall be deposited in Sealed Lead Boxes to prevent Contamination

(iv) The Lead Boxes and Coffins shall be Certified by the Medical Officer or the Health Officer to be fit for transport

(v) Necessary disinfectants shall be used

(vi) permission of the Church shall also be obtained

No Cess or fee shall be charged for the Cremation

Yours faithfully

Memo No L 93 56-)
30-X-53
Copy of the Memorandum
and the Canon for
L S G for information

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Sec 28/9

13/11/53 Sec Ca/28/5 L S G Dept

L. 9355/CM 120-53-4

30th October 53

The

L. ..G. & Planning Departments

To

The Under Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Ministry of Defence,
NEW DELHI.

Sir,

Subject:- Grant of facilities for the Concentration of Italian P.O.W.Graves by the Italian Embassy in India.

I am directed to invite reference to your letter No.F.627/52/8225/D. (AG.) dated the 10th August 1953 on the above subject and to state that this Government agree to ~~the~~ grant the facilities asked for by the Italian Embassy for this scheme of concentration, subject to the following conditions:-

(i) Orders of the Commissioner or the District Magistrate should be obtained at the time of exhumation.

(ii) The graves should be opened in the presence of a Health Officer or Medical Officer to be named in a manner not detrimental to public health.

(iii) The bodies exhumed should be deposited in sealed lead boxes to prevent contamination.

(iv) The lead boxes and coffins should be certified by the Medical Officer or the Health Officer to be fit for transport.

(v) Necessary disinfectants should be used.

(vi) Permission of the church should also be obtained.

No tax or fee shall be charged for the exhumation.

Yours faithfully,

(Sd.) (G.V.K. Rao)
Secretary to Government,
L.S.G. & Planning Departments.

Memo No. 9356-> /30-X-53

Copy of the above is forwarded to -

(1) The Commissioner, Corporation of the City of Bangalore, (through the Mayor) Bangalore,
(2) " Commissioner for Local Self-Government in Mysore, Bangalore

(V. Hanumanthappa)
for Secretary to Government,
L.S.G. & Planning Departments.

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